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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Heidrun Engler et al.

Application No.: 10/055,863

Filed: January 22, 2002

For: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR ENHANCING DELIVERY OF THERAPEUTIC AGENTS TO CELLS

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 4929

Examiner: Elli Preselev

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION** 

REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 13, 2004, please enter the following amendments and remarks. A request for a two-month extension of time is concurrently submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 21 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 22 of this paper.